

## EYFS Snow day activities

*We see very little snow in this part of England, and above all, we want our children to experience and enjoy the fun!*

*Learning through play and interaction is the best way!*

*Please have a go at some or all of the activities to keep your little ones busy and active during the school closure. We would love to see pictures on Google Classroom when we return to school.*

### Cooking:

**\*Make some snowmen biscuits.**



[Melting snowman biscuits recipe - BBC Good Food](#)

**\*Make some fondant icing snowmen.**



\***Make a pancake snowman:** Recipe for making pancakes: Link attached.

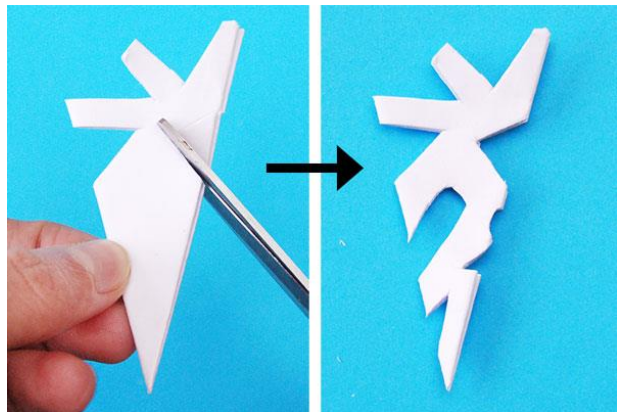
[BBC \(google.co.uk\)](http://BBC.co.uk)



### Design and Technology:

\***Snowflakes:**

Draw some circle shapes on white paper using a pencil. Cut around the circles carefully using the scissors.



Fold the circles in half, cut out small shapes. Look at the pictures to help you.

\***Build a junk model snowman!**

Collect an empty clean plastic bottle. Fill with cotton wool balls or pom poms. Use googly eyes, cut out a triangle shape for the carrot nose. Can you make a scarf and hat for your snowman model using materials that you have at home?



## Make a snow globe

Make a snow globe using an empty glass jar with a lid or a plastic container. Look at the following website link for further ideas.

[How to Make a Snow Globe for Kids - Persil](#)



## \*Snowman slam game!

\*Use some paper/plastic cups. Decorate with snowmen faces. Use the cotton wool balls to see if you can knock the snowmen down!



## Outdoor learning:

Make footsteps in the snow, can you make a pattern as you walk?



Have a look for animal footprints, can you say which animals made the marks?

**Science:**

See what happens when you add salt, sugar, warm and cold water on top of ice. You will need 4 blocks of ice. What material melts ice the quickest?



Make a snow volcano- pile a heap of snow around a small glass jar, add baking soda and vinegar and stand back to watch the snow volcano erupt.

**Numeracy:**

Make snowballs out of the snow and count the total number you have. What happens if you add 1 more?

Draw the numbers in the snow and put the matching number of snowballs next to this.



**Literacy:**

Make marks in the snow using sticks, pebbles, stones etc. Can you write the initial sound for the things you can see, hear, touch and smell? E.g s for snow w for white.

With an adult's help, make a list of all the exciting new words you have used today to describe things as you have been learning.

Make a winter picture of your snow day. Can you recall the events in order? What was your favourite part of the day? Who did you spend your day with?

**Have fun!**